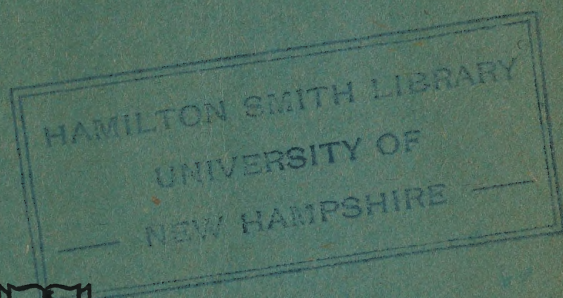
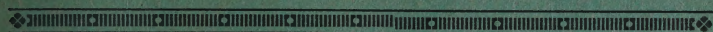


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Annual Report

WOODSTOCK

New Hampshire



YEAR ENDING

January 31, 1937

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
OFFICERS
OF THE
Town of Woodstock, N. H.

YEAR ENDING
January 31, 1937

THE RECORD PRINT
Plymouth, N. H.
1937

TOWN OFFICERS

Representative—H. D. Sawyer

Selectmen—H. D. Sawyer, E. E. Woodbury, R. B. Sawyer

Town Clerk—J. C. Muchmore

Town Treasurer—Lena M. Clark

Tax Collector—Margaret Howland

Moderator—E. E. Woodbury

Supervisors—E. J. Anderson, Arthur Muchmore, F. S. Brown

Librarians—Fanny G. Muchmore, Grace E. Amos

Fire Warden—F. S. Brown

Deputy Fire Wardens—M. J. McCarthy, Sherwin Kendall, F. M. Nichols

Water Collector—F. M. Nichols

State Highway Patrolman—V. I. Sawyer

Superintendent of Cemeteries—R. D. Allison

Auditors—S. G. Matthews, I. E. Cox

Precinct Commissioners—N. B. Fadden, F. M. Nichols
H. W. Mellett

Health Officer—W. E. Keniston

Road Agents—Leigh Avery, J. R. Sawyer

Library Trustees—F. G. Muchmore, Clarice Parker,
Grace E. Amos

Precinct Treasurer—Grace L. Conant

Trustees of Trust Funds—T. F. Sawyer, I. E. Cox,
D. B. Baston

Constable—William Ward

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Woodstock in the County of Grafton in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs;

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said Woodstock, on Tuesday, the ninth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same.

3. To choose Delegates to the Constitutional Convention.

4. To see if the town will vote to pay forty cents per hour for labor, and one dollar and twenty cents per hour for trucks including driver.

5. To see if the town will vote to establish an eight hour day for town labor.

6. To see what action the town will take in regard to land for Cemetery purposes.

7. To see if the town will vote to accept One Hundred Dollars from Mrs. Gilman R. Woodbury, of Whitefield, for perpetual care of cemetery lots.

8. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to distribute the inventory blanks at time of taking the inventory.

9. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to hire such sums of money as may be necessary in anticipation of taxes.

10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as recommended in the budget.

11. To see how much discount the town will vote to allow on taxes paid on or before September 1, 1937.

12. To see if the town will vote to charge twenty cents on poll taxes not paid after December 1, 1937.

13. To see if the town will vote to accept the property of Annie Moulton, in the towns of Woodstock and Thornton, and pay the said Annie Moulton, thirty dollars per month during her lifetime.

14. To hear reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees and other Officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

15. To see if the town will vote to have all town roads plowed with truck, when convenient, and all side roads, church and school driveways sanded when necessary.

16. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this twentieth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-seven.

H. D. SAWYER,
E. E. WOODBURY,
R. B. SAWYER,

Selectmen of Woodstock.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

H. D. SAWYER,
E. E. WOODBURY,
R. B. SAWYER,

Selectmen of Woodstock.



(ERRATA)

Article 3 of Warrant should read:

3. To vote on the following question: Is it expedient to amend the constitution?

16. To see if the town will vote to discontinue parts of road leading North from the Thornton town line to Maley's Cabins, said parts having been replaced by construction in 1936.

17. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate THREE HUNDRED and FIFTY DOLLARS (\$ 350.00) to build a cement sidewalk four feet wide from the residence of H. E. Corey, on Depot St., to the junction of said Depot St. and Deer Park road.

Article 16 of Warrant should be Article 18.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF WOODSTOCK

Sources of Revenue

	1936 Actual	1937 Estimated
From State		
Interest and dividends tax \$	48.85	\$ 50.00
Insurance tax	2.25	2.25
Railroad tax	344.56	345.00
Savings bank tax	651.13	650.00
National Forest reserve	347.72	350.00
For bounties	74.20	50.00
Part town poor relief	210.36	100.00
State tax abatement	2,110.16	2,100.00
From county, poor relief	560.32	500.00
From Local Sources Except Taxes		
Business licenses and permits	95.00	50.00
Fines and forfeits, Municipal court	201.52	100.00
Income of Departments:		
Highway, including rental of equipment	66.00	
Sewers	538.30	
Cemetery lots	60.00	50.00
Dog licenses	71.00	70.00
Filing fees	3.00	
Income from Municipally owned Utilities		
Water departments	2,769.13	2,800.00
Motor vehicle permit fees	1,298.28	1,000.00
From Local Taxes Other Than		
Property Taxes		
Poll taxes	850.00	850.00
Refund sewer	264.81	
Refund	45.40	
Amount Raised by Issue of		
Bonds or Notes		
Temporary loans	14,000.00	12,000.00

Cash on hand (surplus)	571.50	744.99
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Total revenues from all sources

except property taxes	\$ 25,183.49	\$ 21,822.24
* Amount to be raised by property taxes	\$ 26,748.01	\$ 22,563.76

Total revenues	\$ 51,931.50	\$ 44,386.00
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* Total estimated "revenues from all sources except property taxes" deducted from total estimated "expenditures" should give estimated "amount to be raised by property taxes."

Purposes of Expenditures

Current Maintenance Expenses

General Government

Town officers' salaries	\$ 934.75	\$ 1,000.00
Town officers' expenses	562.30	500.00
Election and registration expenses	214.50	50.00
Municipal court expenses	219.50	200.00

Protection of Persons and Property

Police department	923.64	1,200.00
Fire department	75.00	75.00
Bounties	32.00	50.00

Health

Red Cross	300.00	300.00
Health department	50.00	50.00
Vital statistics	29.25	30.00
Sewer maintenance	264.81	

Highways and Bridges

Town maintenance	1,178.39	800.00
Street lighting	1,920.00	2,000.00
General Expenses of Highway Department		
Snow removal	1,804.50	2,000.00

Libraries		
Libraries	230.49	250.00
Public Welfare		
Town poor	926.16	900.00
County poor	563.02	500.00
Patriotic Purposes		
Memorial Day and other celebrations	50.00	50.00
Old Home Day	107.15	
Recreation		
Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts	200.00	200.00
Public Service Enterprises		
Legal expenses	58.00	
Municipally owned water and electric utilities	1,770.59	1,000.00
Cemeteries	302.80	300.00
Advertising	496.90	400.00
Interest		
	1,404.79	1,300.00
Refund	35.00	
Highways and Bridges		
State aid construction		
town's share	1,257.00	1,281.00
New equipment	593.25	
Payment on Principal of Debt		
Temporary loans	15,000.00	12,000.00
Long term notes	3,000.00	3,000.00
To restore trust funds	120.00	50.00
Payments to Other Governmental		
Divisions		
State taxes	2,208.00	2,400.00
County taxes	2,991.50	3,000.00
Payments to precincts	200.00	
Payments to school districts	10,326.66	9,500.00
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Total expenditures	\$ 51,186.51	\$ 44,386.00

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

Land and buildings	\$740,512.00
2 electric utilities	46,250.00
24 horses	2,026.00
105 cows	5,040.00
2 neat stock	40.00
3 portable mills	1,820.00
Wood and lumber	19,000.00
43 gasoline pumps	3,380.00
Stock in trade	36,590.00
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Total valuation	\$854,658.00
Soldiers exemptions	\$ 4,300.00
Property taxes	\$ 26,914.95

APPROPRIATIONS

Town officers' salaries	\$ 1,000.00
Town officers' expenses	300.00
Election and registration	50.00
Municipal court	200.00
Town dump	50.00
Police	1,100.00
Health (Red Cross)	300.00
Vital statistics	25.00
State aid construction	1,257.00
Town roads including tar	1,200.00
Snow removal	2,000.00
Advertising	500.00
Old Home Day	100.00
Street lights	2,000.00
Libraries	350.00
Town poor	800.00
Parks and playgrounds	230.00
Water system	1,000.00
Cemeteries	300.00
Interest	1,500.00
Memorial Day	50.00

Town debt	2,500.00
State tax	2,208.00
County tax	2,991.50
Schools	10,803.70
Total appropriations	\$ 32,815.20
Estimated revenues	6,256.20
	\$ 26,559.00
Plus overlay	1,327.95
	\$ 27,886.95
Polls, 489	978.00
Taxes committed to collector	\$ 28,864.95
Average rate	\$ 31.50 on \$1,000.00.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Statement of Assets

Taxes due, 1936 levy	\$ 318.59
Taxes due, 1935 levy	328.10
Taxes due, 1932 levy	15.69
Water rents 1933	
Water rents 1934	\$ 172.63
Water rents 1935	
Water rents 1936	342.00
Water rents 1934 non-residents	258.00
Water rents 1935 non-residents	320.00
Water rents 1936 non-residents	332.00
From state, bounties	32.00
Town history account	21.25
Library account	14.20
Cash on hand January 31, 1937	744.99
Total cash assets	\$ 2,899.47

Statement of Liabilities

North Woodstock water system notes	\$ 3,500.00
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Woodstock water system notes	7,000.00
Depot Street bridge notes	5,000.00
Temporary loans	2,000.00
Sewer bonds	6,000.00
Interest on bonds	392.30
Town history account	1,475.00
Schools	6,332.43
Woodstock library balance	60.32
Total liabilities	<u>\$ 31,760.75</u>
Debt less assets 1937	\$ 28,860.58
Debt less assets 1936	<u>\$ 28,839.78</u>
Increase of debt	\$ 20.80

Having examined the foregoing statement we find it correctly cast.

S. G. MATTHEWS,
IRVING E. COX,

Auditors.

LIST OF TOWN PROPERTY

Fire engine	\$ 4500.00
Tractor and plow	200.00
Road machine	25.00
Tool shed	200.00
Snow fence	500.00
Soldiers Park	1,000.00
Town hall	800.00
Precinct building	1,500.00
School building	15,000.00
Town forests	1,000.00
School house lot, Lost River Road	15.00
Electric light dam	5,000.00
North Woodstock water system	40,000.00

Woodstock water system	15,000.00
Sargent plow	550.00
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	\$ 85,290.00

Estimated Revenues

Interest and dividends tax	\$ 25.00
Insurance tax	2.20
Railroad tax	322.00
Savings Bank tax	607.00
Motor vehicle permits	600.00
Abatement on forest lands	2,000.00
Water system	2,500.00
U. S. Forest Reserve	200.00
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	\$ 6,256.20

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Debits

Received from auto permits	\$ 1,298.28
Received from dog taxes	66.00
Primary election filing fees	3.00
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	\$ 1,367.28

Credits

Amount paid to town treasurer	\$ 1,367.28
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Respectfully submitted,

JAMES C. MUCHMORE,

Town Clerk.

SUMMARY OF WARRANT, LEVY OF 1936

Report of Tax Collector

Dr.	
Taxes committed to collector	\$ 27,962.02
Interest collected	14.19
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	\$ 27,976.21
Credit	
Remittances to treasurer	\$ 26,771.08
Discount allowed	641.12
Lands sold for taxes	298.53
Abatements	236.48
Uncollected as per list	29.15
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	\$ 27,976.36

Redemption from Tax Sales of Previous Years

Levy of 1933	
Remittances to treasurer as follows:	
C. A. Hews estate, interest	\$ 26.74
Effie Smith estate, interest	18.07
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	\$ 44.81

Levy of 1934	
Taxes, costs and interest:	
C. A. Hews estate	\$ 192.19
Lyman Cloud	58.34
Effie Smith estate	114.84
Walter Dobson	7.79
Mattie Sawyer estate	69.08
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	\$ 442.24

Levy of 1935	
Taxes, costs and interest:	
Effie Smith estate	\$ 96.56

Chester Willey	28.47
M. E. Brooks estate	35.82
Fred Joyal	15.26
Lyman Cloud	52.92

\$ 229.03

Levy of 1936

Taxes, costs and interest:

Lyman Cloud	\$ 46.58
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Poll Taxes of 1935

Uncollected and added polls	\$ 28.00
Interest collected on same	1.34

\$ 29.34

Total cash received and remitted to
treasurer (1936)

\$ 26,771.08

\$ 27,563.08

Tax Collector's Sale of Real Estate, Jan. 15, 1937

Owner's name	Tax &		Costs	Amount
	Tax	Int.		
Bert Baker est. \$	8.50	\$ 8.63	\$ 3.30	\$ 11.93
Lyman Cloud	42.53	43.05	3.30	46.35
Walter Dobson	3.15	3.18	3.30	6.48
C. A. Hews est.	126.00	127.57	3.30	130.87
Fred Joyal (C.F.)	11.45	11.58	3.30	14.88
M. H. Sawyer	76.55	77.50	3.30	80.80
Peter Top est.	9.45	9.56	3.30	12.86
Chester Willey	20.19	21.15	3.30	24.45
Total	\$298.53	\$302.22	\$ 26.40	\$328.62

Abatements

Madalene Allen	\$	2.00
Zoilo Azotea		2.00
Joe Burman		2.00
Lois Burman		2.00
Dominick Burman		2.00
Agnes Bishop		2.00
B. & M. R. R.		72.45
Climena Butler		2.00
Philip Blake		2.00
James Beaulieu (Jos.)		2.00
Irving E. Cox		2.00
Catherine Conroy		2.00
Walter Dobson		2.00
Mary Davis		2.00
Catherine Driscoll		2.00
John Durrell		2.00
Fred Fecteau		2.00
Margaret Greenleaf		2.00
George Greenleaf		2.00
W. B. Howland		2.00
Nelson Haynes		2.00
Clara Haynes		2.00
Mary Hart		5.20
Francis King		2.00
Mary G. Keyser		2.00
Winnie Keyser		2.00
Irving La Point		2.00
Mrs. Irving La Point		2.00
Peter Ledger		2.00
Alice Ledger		2.00
W. N. Moulton estate		42.53
Dorothy Mellett		2.00
Fred Nadeau		2.00
Lena Nadeau		2.00
Anaclet Norman		2.00
Mrs. Alden Pearl		2.00
Fred Redmond		2.00
Helen Redmond		2.00
Russell Sawyer		2.00
C. B. Shiffer		6.30
H. S. Sanborn		2.00

Yvonne Tardiff	2.00
Bert Wilson	2.00
D. B. Baston	2.00
Elwin Austin	2.00
Thurza Azotea	2.00
Herbert Calkins	2.00
Mrs. Herbert Calkins	2.00
Earl Mellett	2.00
James Witham	2.00
George Bowman	2.00
Helen Bowman	2.00
Francis Chandler	2.00
Mrs. Francis Chandler	2.00
Walter Hanson	2.00
Mrs. Walter Hanson	2.00
Frank Merrill	2.00
Mildred Merrill	2.00
Gertrude Sears	2.00
Henry Chilfourd	2.00
Mrs. Henry Chilfourd	2.00
Fred Campbell	2.00
Jennie Campbell	2.00
Peter Di Pirro	2.00
Charles Georgia	2.00
Annie Georgia	2.00
William Murphy	2.00
Sadie Murphy	2.00
Myron Tracy	2.00
Ruth Tracy	2.00
Adriel Tardiff	2.00
Ross Johnson	3.15
Mrs. Scott E. Woodbury	2.00
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	\$ 265.63

I hereby certify that the above list showing the names and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of January 30, 1937, on account of the levy of 1936 taxes, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signed) MARGARET HOWLAND,
Tax Collector.

REPORT OF WATER RENT COLLECTOR

Total amount of resident list of 1936	\$	1,999.30
Total collected		1,659.30
	\$	342.00
 Total amount of previous years	 \$	 592.55
Collected		419.50
	\$	172.65
 Total amount of non-resident	 \$	 1,093.40
Total collected		761.40
	\$	332.00
Balance		
Total amount of non-resident of previous	\$	632.00
years		
Collected		54.00
	\$	578.00
 Paid town treasurer	 \$	 2,892.60
Uncollected		1,424.65
	\$	4,317.25

F. M. NICHOLS,
Collector.

Note—Water rents are due quarterly in advance.
The fiscal year ends February 1.

The following is a list of patrons of the Water Service who owe for the service prior to October 31, 1936.

Shirley Avery, 1936	\$	13.80
Peter Ayotte, 1935-1936		20.70
Mary Brooks estate, 1935-1936		21.60
Charles Clark, Jr., 1934-1935-1936		38.60
Cloud, 1935-1936		13.50

Charles Drury, 1935-1936	19.30
William Fowler, 1935-1936	26.40
James Dunlap, 1934-1935-1936	24.30
Peter Hashey, 1934-1935-1936	35.20
Clarence Hadley, 1934-1935-1936	19.35
Russell House, 1935-1936	109.80
Bert Osgood, 1934-1935-1936	29.00
Amos Parent, 1936	8.70
Rennie Rogers, 1936	6.60
Rachel Russell, 1936	13.80
Robenia St. Marie, 1936	14.85
Elwood St. Marie, 1936	7.20
S. S. Smith, 1935-1936	14.40
J. R. Sawyer, 1936	19.50
C. E. Sargent, 1936	19.80
Leo Walch, 1936	22.20
Addington Lodge, 1935-1936	36.00
Hotel Alpine, 1934-1935-1936	720.00
Tenney estate, 1933-1934-1935-1936	23.40
Elmer Handy, 1935-1936	24.00
Mrs. Peter Toppe, 1936	2.00

Having examined the foregoing accounts, we find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

S. G. MATTHEWS,
I. E. COX,

Auditors.

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Taxation

1933	\$ 79.81
1934	442.24
1935	258.94
1936	26,817.02

From State

Bear bounties	30.00
Hedgehog bounties	44.20

Insurance tax	2.25
Railroad tax	344.56
Savings Bank tax	651.13
Interest and dividend tax	48.85
National forest reserve	347.72
Tax abatement	2,110.16
Refund poor relief	210.36
Flood sewer refund	264.81
Refunds	45.40
Filing fees	3.00
From County	
Refund poor relief	560.32
Licenses and permits	95.00
Dog licenses	71.00
Court fees	201.52
From Federal Government	
Grant for sewer	538.30
Water system	2,769.13
Auto taxes	1,298.28
Temporary loans	14,000.00
Sale of cemetery lots	60.00
Rent of Fire Truck	66.00
Total expenditures	\$ 51,360.00
Cash in treasury January 31, 1936	\$ 571.50
	<u>\$ 51,931.50</u>

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

Town officers' salaries	\$ 934.75 ✓
Town officers' expenses	562.30
Election and registration	214.50
Municipal court	219.50
Police Department	923.64
Storage for Fire Truck	75.00
Bounties	32.00
Health Department	50.00

Vital statistics	29.25
Sewer repair	264.81
Street lighting	1,920.00
Red Cross	300.00
Libraries	230.49
Town poor	926.16
County poor	563.02
Memorial Day	50.00
Old Home Day	107.15
Parks and playgrounds	200.00
Cemeteries	302.80
Advertising	496.90
Water system	1,770.59
Legal expenses	58.00
Trust funds	120.00
Interest	1,404.79
State aid construction	1,257.00
Refund	35.00
Town road maintenance	1,178.39
Snow removal	1,804.50
Flood repairs	836.56
New equipment	593.25
Temporary loans	15,000.00
Notes	3,000.00
Precinct	200.00
School district	10,326.66
County tax	2,991.50
State tax	2,208.00
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Total payments	\$ 51,186.51
Cash in treasury January 31, 1937	744.99
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	\$ 51,931.50

DETAIL OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries

S. G. Matthews, auditor	\$ 12.00
I. E. Cox, auditor	12.00
Grace E. Amos, librarian	57.00
F. G. Muchmore, librarian	77.25

J. C. Muchmore, town clerk	100.00
L. M. Clark, treasurer	100.00
E. E. Woodbury, moderator	12.00
Margaret Howland, tax collector	100.00
W. E. Keniston, health officer	37.50
F. M. Nichols, water collector	50.00
H. D. Sawyer, overseer of poor	52.00
R. B. Sawyer, selectman	75.00
E. E. Woodbury, selectman	100.00
H. D. Sawyer, selectman	150.00
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	\$ 934.75

Town Officers' Expenses

Margaret Howland, postage	\$ 20.00
Margaret Howland, land sales	36.30
Margaret Howland, expenses	37.77
W. J. Randolph, abstract of deed	1.50
W. J. Randolph, land transfers	5.92 1
J. C. Muchmore, postage and telephone	41.00 2
J. C. Muchmore, dog fees	17.50 2
J. C. Muchmore, expense	13.50 2
J. C. Muchmore, auto registration	70.50 2
J. C. Muchmore, printing	12.63 2
Edson Eastman, office supplies	30.25 2
Thorpe & Martin, auto tax book	2.37 2
H. D. Sawyer, travel expense	7.57 2
A. A. White, stamp	1.00 2
Record Print, tax bills	4.00 2
Record Print, check lists	21.50 2
Record Print, printing town reports	99.45 2
New England Tel. & Tel., toll calls	2.65 2
R. T. Bartlett, transferring names	.40 2
The Maxwell Press, stationery	9.39 2
J. H. Fadden & Son, wood, office and town house	8.50 2
Association N. H. Assessors, annual dues	2.00 2
Wheeler & Clark, dog tags	7.04 2
I E.. Hanson, town officers' bonds	40.00 2
Pemigewasset Electric Co., lights for precinct building	22.02 2
Public Service Commission, inspection of dams	3.00 1

W. E. Keniston, expense	9.25
E. E. Woodbury, expense	.80
H. D. Sawyer, postage	4.73
G. E. Amos, postage	1.40
L. M. Clark, expense	23.11
F. M. Nichols, expense	5.25
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\$	562.30

✓ Municipal Court

J. C. Muchmore, salary	\$ 100.00
Court writs (two years)	111.00
Postage and telephone	8.50
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\$	219.50

Police Department

William Ward, salary police duty	\$ 872.00
C. H. Palmer, salary police duty	33.00
Oscar Carter, salary police duty	7.50
J. H. Fadden, supplies for jail	11.14
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\$	923.64

Fire Department

F. M. Nichols, storage for apparatus	\$ 75.00
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Bounties

Arthur Pinette, bear bounty	\$ 5.00
Hollis Gordon, two bear bounties	10.00
R. B. Sawyer, hedgehogs paid	1.40
E. E. Woodbury, hedgehogs paid	7.40
H. D. Sawyer, hedgehogs paid	8.20
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\$	32.00

Election and Registration

E. J. Anderson, supervisor of check list	\$ 64.00
J. A. Kendall est., supervisor of check list	32.00
F. S. Brown, supervisor of check list	36.00
Arthur Muchmore, supervisor of check list	32.00
T. D. Schofield, ballot clerk	3.00
H. S. Sawyer, ballot clerk	7.50

Helen Weston, ballot clerk	7.50
Neil Lynde, ballot clerk	7.50
W. E. Carter, ballot clerk	3.50
Record Print, check lists	21.50
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	\$ 214.50
Health Department	
W. R. Lane, care of town dump	\$ 50.00
Vital Statistics	
J. C. Muchmore, recording	\$ 24.25
L. B. Copenhaver, reporting	5.00
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	\$ 29.25
Sewer Repair	
C. H. & H. C. Clark, lumber	\$ 40.08
H. C. Clark, salary as foreman	61.10
C. W. Clark, truck	6.00
J. H. Fadden & Son, supplies	156.63
J. C. Gordon, manhole cover	1.00
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	\$ 264.81
Red Cross	
Oswald Ramage, treasurer	\$ 300.00
Memorial Day	
Oscar Carter	\$ 50.00
Old Home Day	
E. E. Woodbury	\$ 107.15
Interest	
Loan and Trust Savings Bank	\$ 357.50
Pemigewasset National Bank	240.00
Pemigewasset National Bank, temporary loans	283.34
H. S. Sanborn, notes	381.25
Winona Clement, notes	110.00
H. W. Sanborn, notes	32.70
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	\$ 1,404.79

Street Lighting

Pemigewasset Electric Co., street lighting	\$ 1,920.00 ^s
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Libraries

Library Book House	\$ 24.22
R. H. Hinckly	29.50
New England News Co.	27.09
Goodman's Book Store	125.13
Margaret Blakeney, rent of room	20.00
J. M. Brown, magazine subscription	2.25
J. C. Gordon, pine boards	2.30
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	\$ 230.49

Water System

John Ingalls, thawing pipes	\$ 62.00
W. L. Blake, pipe and fittings	441.28
Parker-Young Co., thawing pipes	80.95
F. M. Nichols, thawing pipes	33.15
William Ward, labor on hydrants	3.30
George A. Caldwell, pipe and fittings	39.30
L. F. Parker, payrolls labor	828.59
L. F. Parker, labor and expense	147.27
L. F. Parker, cleaning reservoirs	134.75
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	\$ 1,770.59

Charities—Town Poor

C. E. Descary	\$ 147.00
R. B. Sawyer	49.65
Florence Steele, tax	23.63
Dr. E. D. Burt	12.50
Dr. L. B. Copenhaver	11.50
Pemigewasset Electric Co.	19.36
First National Stores	30.00
E. P. Lowden	193.01
F. Morris estate	10.00
J. H. Fadden & Son	284.74
County Commissioners	14.50
Marthe Couture	17.40

W. P. Haskell	75.00
Parker Drug Co.	37.87

\$	926.16
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County Poor

First National Stores	\$	42.00
Roger Allison		5.00
Newton Baston		2.80
E. P. Lowden		122.00
J. H. Fadden & Son		59.73
Rachelle Morris		254.69
J. W. Harrower		3.80
W. P. Haskell		73.00

\$	563.02
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Highways—Town Maintenance

J. R. Sawyer, payrolls	\$	363.97
Leigh Avery, payrolls		339.25
Parker-Young, lumber, Baston bridge		34.64
Ronan-Johnson, plank, Baston bridge		15.69
Parker-Young, shop work		.94
State of New Hampshire, tar for town roads		392.50
C. H. Palmer, painting traffic lanes		31.40

\$	1,178.39
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Snow Removal

J. R. Sawyer, payrolls	\$	1,074.60
Leigh Avery, payrolls		632.85
Steele's Garage, labor on plow		12.75
Parker-Young, shop work		2.70
International Salt Co., salt		17.60
Clayton Ham, plowing Tannery road		64.00

\$	1,804.50
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Flood

J. R. Sawyer, payrolls	\$	150.23
Leigh Avery, payrolls		53.66
H. C. & C. W. Clark, lumber		101.22
Alex Russell, chain		8.00

H. D. Sawyer, lumber	45.55
V. I. Sawyer, payrolls	477.90
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	\$ 836.56
Parks and Playgrounds	
Fred S. Brown, treasurer	\$ 175.00
K. P. Harrington, clearing trails	25.00
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	\$ 200.00
Cemeteries	
Roger Allison, payrolls	\$ 298.85
Parker-Young, canvas	3.95
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	\$ 302.80
Advertising Town	
Littleton Courier, booklets	\$ 196.90
Woodstock Chamber of Commerce balance appropriation	300.00
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	\$ 496.90
Miscellaneous	
Mayland H. Morse, legal expense	\$ 50.00
T. F. Sawyer, trust funds	120.00
State of New Hampshire, state aid construction	1,257.00
County Commissioners, refund	35.00
P. I. Perkins, Sargent snow plow	593.25
Pemigewasset National Bank, temporary loans	15,000.00
H. S. Sanborn, note	1,000.00
H. W. Sanborn, note	1,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, note	1,000.00
Precinct, Grace Conant, treasurer	200.00
School District, Grace Conant, treasurer	10,326.66
County tax, Harry Huckins, treasurer	2,991.50
State tax	2,208.00
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Total payments	\$ 51,186.51
Cash on hand January 31, 1937	\$ 744.99

The above is an accurate account of receipts and expenditures of the town of Woodstock for the year ending January 31, 1937.

Respectfully submitted,

H. D. SAWYER,
E. E. WOODBURY,
R. B. SAWYER,

Selectmen of Woodstock.

LENA M. CLARK, Treasurer.

Having examined the foregoing accounts we find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

S. G. MATTHEWS,
IRVING E. COX,

Auditors.

STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS

Temporary Loans

Pemigewasset National Bank,
Due July 1, 1936 \$ 2,000.00

Water System Notes

H. S. Sanborn, due July 3, 1937	\$ 1,000.00
H. S. Sanborn, due July 10, 1938	1,000.00
H. S. Sanborn, due July 3, 1939	1,000.00
H. S. Sanborn, due July 10, 1940	500.00
Loan & Trust Savings Bank, due July 22, 1937	1,000.00
Loan & Trust Savings Bank, due July 22, 1938	1,000.00
Loan & Trust Savings Bank, due August 5, 1939	1,000.00
Loan & Trust Savings Bank, due August 5, 1940	1,000.00

Loan & Trust Savings Bank, due August 5, 1941	1,000.00
Winona Clement, due July 22, 1942	1,000.00
Winona Clement, due July 22, 1943	1,000.00

\$ 10,500.00

Depot Street Bridge Notes

H. S. Sanborn, due June 15, 1937	2,000.00
H. W. Sanborn, due June 15, 1937	2,000.00
Florence Sanborn, due June 15, 1937	1,000.00

\$ 5,000.00

Sewer Bonds

U. S. Government, due May 1, 1937	1,000.00
U. S. Government, due May 1, 1938	1,000.00
U. S. Government, due May 1, 1939	1,000.00
U. S. Government, due May 1, 1940	1,000.00
U. S. Government, due May 1, 1941	1,000.00
U. S. Government, due May 1, 1942	1,000.00

\$ 6,000.00

Owed on notes and bonds \$ 23,500.00

J. R. SAWYER, ROAD AGENT

Flood

J. R. Sawyer	\$ 61.67
James R. Sawyer	13.67
Raymond Martin	10.00
E. J. Anderson	4.67
Edward Cloud	11.00
Hollis Gordon, Jr.	18.00
Hollis Gordon, Sr.	18.17
Nelson Haynes	3.00
Fred Emo	6.00
D. B. Baston, gravel	4.00
Total	<hr/> \$ 150.18

Having examined the foregoing account, we find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

S. G. MATTHEWS,
IRVING E. COX,

Auditors

SNOW ACCOUNT

J. R. Sawyer, Road Agent

J. R. Sawyer, agent	\$ 271.47
Russell Sawyer	187.37
T. Chandler	30.53
Charles Getchell	2.33
R. Martin	24.93
T. D. Schofield	2.33
W. Chase	10.20
Hollis Gordon, Jr.	13.67
G. Waldren	7.00
Charles Williams	3.00
K. McCormick	16.60
D. Gentis	1.67
M. Downing	7.80
J. H. Fadden & Son	7.15
B. Dexter	98.80
E. J. Anderson	15.60
W. A. Bishop	9.67
R. J. Titus	38.47
G. Curley	32.01
R. Martin	5.00
McCloud's Garage	153.67
T. F. Sawyer	8.67
Fairview estate	44.66
R. Howland	4.67
A. Tardiff	37.54
H. Howland	4.67
M. H. Sawyer	19.95
W. Howland	3.00
Albert Lafountain	13.00
C. Hart	6.67

D. Osgood	8.00
W. Haskell, sand	.90
R. Emerson	3.00
R. Mellett	6.40
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	\$ 1,079.62

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S. G. MATTHEWS,
IRVING E. COX,

Auditors.

TOWN ROAD ACCOUNT

J. R. Sawyer, Road Agent

J. R. Sawyer and truck	\$ 128.64
James R. Sawyer, labor	40.68
James Dunlop, labor	14.34
T. D. Schofield, labor	1.20
John Gray, truck	2.00
Walter Johnson, driver drag, truck	1.80
Melvin Hibbard, truck	5.40
V. I. Sawyer, boss on tarring	3.60
Howard Sawyer, labor	.80
Selden Brown, labor	.80
Glen Smith, labor	.80
Cliff Amos, grader driver	1.80
Ralph Martin, labor	1.20
Raymond Martin, labor	3.00
Elward St. Marie, labor	1.20
Thomas Downing, labor	1.20
Armand Rogers, labor	1.20
George Walden, labor	1.20
Ross Howland, labor	1.20
William O'Hare, labor	.40
Harold Russell, labor	1.20
Stephen Sabian, labor	1.20

Hollis Gordon, Jr., labor	36.34
Hollis Gordon, Sr., labor	42.70
Francis Chandler, labor	1.20
D. B. Baston, gravel	4.50
Philip Russell, labor	1.00
H. C. & C. W. Clark, plank	2.43
Nat Hartwell, on drag	1.80
Alex Russell, shovels	3.30
Parker-Young Co., dynamite	1.20
Woodstock Outing Club, caps	1.40
Jesse Smith, handling dynamite	2.00
W. A. Bishop, labor	5.87
M. H. Sawyer, gravel	4.00
N. H. State treasurer, cold patch	18.00
W. S. Gordon, truck and man	13.00
Town of Meredith	5.40
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	\$ 359.00

Having examined the foregoing account, we find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

S. G. MATTHEWS,
IRVING E. COX,

Auditors.

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Leigh Avery, Road Agent

Leigh Avery	\$ 391.39
F. W. Kendrick	775.50
R. D. Allison	155.10
C. D. Amos	131.00
W. F. Long	127.60
S. M. Avery	110.67
J. R. Sawyer	93.34
H. P. Howland	92.66
K. G. McCormick	84.33
C. H. Willey	70.33

H. Kendall	63.00
D. E. Ambrose	57.00
James Sawyer	53.33
N. B. Avery	53.67
H. Whiting	51.00
C. F. Joyal	51.00
H. Gordon Jr.	46.33
T. E. Davis	40.33
W. B. Howland	38.90
W. B. Avery	36.00
V. Benton	31.33
Alex Russell	27.48
R. L. Martin	25.67
D. Jentiss	25.67
W. Ayotte	18.00
H. Gordon, Sr.	18.00
R. Howland	17.00
A. W. Sawyer estate	8.60
E. Estey	7.33
J. Smith	5.00
D. B. Amos	4.33
C. L. Schofield	4.00
Alex Gero	3.00
J. S. Gray	2.00
Bert Avery	1.67
C. Hart	1.67
R. J. Titus	1.33

\$ 2,724.56

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S. G. MATTHEWS,
IRVING E. COX,

Auditors.

TOWN ROAD ACCOUNT

Leigh Avery, Road Agent

Leigh Avery, labor	\$ 143.00
S. M. Avery, labor	49.67
H. D. Sawyer, plank	38.53
K. G. McCormick, labor	18.66
F. R. Campbell, labor	16.67
H. P. Howland, labor	15.00
R. D. Allison, labor	14.00
N. B. Avery, labor	8.34
C. L. Schofield, labor	8.33
M. Hibbard, labor	7.20
N. Brown, sand	6.45
A. Petrain, labor	5.66
Town of Meredith, grader	5.40
V. I. Sawyer, labor	4.80
S. G. Matthews, labor	4.00
J. Smith, labor	4.00
J. S. Gray, labor	3.00
D. B. Baston, gravel	3.00
D. W. Van Allen, gravel	2.40
W. Johnson, labor	2.40
C. Amos, labor	1.80
N. Hartwell, labor	1.60
H. Sawyer, labor	1.00
L. Sabourn, labor	1.00
W. P. Haskell, labor	1.00
E. E. Woodbury, labor	1.00
T. D. Schofield, labor	1.00
W. Bishop, labor	1.00
T. Downing, labor	1.00
G. Walden, labor	1.00
H. Russell, labor	1.00
E. St. Marie, labor	1.00
R. Howland, labor	1.00
R. Martin, labor	1.00
F. Chandler, labor	1.00
A. Rogers, labor	1.00
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	\$ 377.91

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S. G. MATTHEWS,
IRVING E. COX,

Auditors.

SNOW REMOVAL

Leigh Avery, Road Agent

Leigh Avery, labor	\$	303.73
S. M. Avery, labor		92.74
H. P. Howland, labor		40.51
N. B. Avery, labor		28.35
N. B. Fadden, labor		16.63
E. D. Allison, sand		14.87
D. B. Amos, labor		13.17
R. Rogers, labor		12.50
F. R. Campbell, labor		12.33
F. L. Avery, labor		9.66
C. W. Clark, labor		9.65
E. E. Woodbury, labor		9.50
R. Howland, labor		8.67
F. M. Nichols, labor		8.00
Alex Gero, labor on tractor		7.50
N. H. Baston, labor		6.33
F. W. Emo, labor		5.33
J. H. Fadden & Son, labor		5.33
G. Smith, labor		4.34
W. P. Haskell, sand		4.20
M. Davis, labor		3.00
F. Gilman, labor		3.00
F. Redman, labor		3.33
H. D. Sawyer, labor		3.33
R. Davis, labor		2.67
T. Davis, labor		2.67
S. Davis, labor		2.67
G. Ladeau, labor		2.67
W. Carter, labor		2.66
R. Amos, labor		1.67

S. Bujeaud, labor	1.67
C. Towers, labor	1.50
R. Gilman, labor	1.00
C. H. Willey, labor	1.00
J. Kendall, labor	1.00
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	\$ 647.18

Having examined the foregoing account, we find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

S. G. MATTHEWS,
IRVING E. COX,

Auditors.

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Woodstock, January 31, 1937.

Date of Creation	PURPOSE OF CREATION Care of Cemetery Lots	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Int.	Balance of Income 1st of Year	Income During Year	Expended during Year	Balance of Income End of Year
	Part Original Cemetery Fund	Now on deposit in Plymouth Guaranty Savings Bank		3				
	Ropes Fund	"	\$627.93					
	Demeritt Fund	"	100.00					
	Thurston Fund	"	100.00					
	Vincent Fund	"	30.00					
	Mandana Smith Fund	"	50.00					
Dec. 18, 1926	Daniel Sawyer Fund	"	50.00					
June 18, 1930	Daniel and Mary Dearborn Fund	"	50.00			34.66	34.66	
Jan. 3, 1930	Brown and Waite Fund	"	50.00					
July 8, 1935	Rec'd lots sold 1934	"	35.00					
Sept. 23, 1936	Rec'd lots sold 1935	"	95.00					
Jan. 30, 1937	Rec'd lots sold 1936	"	25.00					
July 23, 1936	Rec'd Gilman R. Woodbury and subject to accept. by town	"	100.00					
Apr. 14, 1936	Dura Pollard Fund	"	51.00					
			\$1,463.93					

THOMAS F. SAWYER
D. B. BASTON
IRVING E. COX

} Trustees.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF CEMETERIES

Roger D. Allison, Superintendent

Debit

Received from town treasurer	\$	302.80
Received from cemetery trustees interest on trust funds		34.66
Received from sale of lots		
Jesse Smith		15.00
W. F. Long		20.00
T. F. Sawyer		20.00
Baxter Burnell, adm. Henry Brown est.		5.00
	\$	397.46

Credit

Paid town treasurer account trust fund	\$	60.00
Perpetual care of lots		34.66
A. Russell, iron rake		1.15
Henry Demar, mower repairs		3.50
J. H. Fadden & Son, tools		8.20
Parker-Young Co., canvas		3.95
Chase Grain Co., lime		8.00
D. Rogers, labor		6.33
A. Rogers, labor		8.33
R. Rogers, labor		14.00
W. Ayotte, labor		2.67
T. D. Schofield, labor		19.67
Herman Howland, labor		4.33
Ken. McCormack, labor		31.67
Sherwood Avery, labor		5.33
Jesse Smith, labor		19.67
Chet. Schofield, labor		19.00
R. D. Allison, labor		147.00
	\$	397.46

Having examined the foregoing account, we find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

S. G. MATTHEWS,

IRVING E. COX,

Auditors.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE MOOSILAUKE LIBRARY

January 31, 1936 to January 31, 1937

Debit	
On deposit January 31, 1936	\$ 15.04
Cash on hand	5.31
Receipts of dues	13.18
	\$ 33.53
Credit	
Paid for magazines	\$ 14.80
Paid for books	3.50
Paid for postage, paste, etc.	1.00
On deposit in bank	9.28
Cash on hand	4.95
	\$ 33.53
Number of patrons	316
Books issued	3,899

Through purchase and gifts 48 books have been added.

We gratefully acknowledge all gifts of books and magazines.

Respectfully submitted,

F. G. MUCHMORE,
Librarian.

Having examined the foregoing accounts, we find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

S. G. MATTHEWS,
IRVING E. COX,

Auditors.

REPORT OF WOODSTOCK PUBLIC LIBRARY

From February 1, 1936 to February 1, 1937

Number of books purchased	160
Number of magazines purchased	9
Number of books loaned	1,219
Number of magazines loaned	280
Number of patrons	70
Paid out for supplies	\$.60
Postage	1.40

GRACE E. AMOS,
Treasurer.

NORTH WOODSTOCK FIRE PRECINCT REPORT

Debits

1936		
Feb. 1	Balance on hand	\$ 14.38
Aug. 14	Received from town treasurer	200.00
	Received from M. T. Shepard, rent from	
	Nov. 1st to Jan. 1st, 1937	30.00
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		\$ 244.38

Credit

1936		
Aug. 25	Paid F. M. Nichols	\$ 26.30
Sept. 29	Paid J. Stevens, cleaning streets	75.00
Oct. 30	Paid Baxter Burnell, insurance	16.16
	30 Paid Arthur Mitchell, painting	21.50
	30 Paid F. M. Nichols	24.00
	30 Paid Clarence Burrows, labor	35.00
1937		
Jan. 20	Paid E. L. Putnam, insurance	8.00

20	Paid Grace L. Conant, services as treasurer	10.00
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		\$ 215.96
	Cash on hand	28.42
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		\$ 244.38

GRACE L. CONANT,
Treasurer.

Having examined the foregoing accounts, we find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

S. G. MATTHEWS,
IRVING E. COX,
Auditors.

REPORT OF NURSING SERVICE

Woodstock, N. H., 1936-1937

Service to, or in behalf of individuals:

	Paid Visits	Free Visits
Maternity		
Antepartum	2	6
Deliveries	7	4
Postpartum	87	20
Neuborn	52	42
Morbidity		
Non-communicable	36	53
Communicable	7	5
Health Supervision		
Infants (under 1 year)		46
Pre-school (1-6 years)		15
School (6-16 years)		35
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Total visits	191	226

Social service visits	25
Clinics and Conferences	
Dental clinics held each Thursday during school year	24
School children attending	21
Child health conferences	1
Number of children examined	7
Tuberculosis and underweight clinics	1
Number of school children examined	15
Suspicious of tuberculosis	1
School children	1
School children with no defects	0
Toxoid clinics (one inoculation)	1
Number of children inoculated	8
School children	2
Pre-school children	6
Tonsil clinics	2
Number of school children	9
Number of pre-school children	1
Number of families assisted with Red Cross clothing	10
Christmas baskets given out in Woodstock	15
Patients accompanied to or from hospitals	4

Cod Liver Oil to Woodstock and North Woodstock schools including only lower grades.

ADDIE LESSARD,
Public Health Nurse.

AMERICAN RED CROSS—LINCOLN CHAPTER

Financial Statement, Fiscal Year Ending

January 31, 1937

Woodstock Precinct

Receipts

Roll call	\$	93.25
Flood relief, 1936		33.75
Donations		5.00

Appreciations:

Town Woodstock	\$	300.00	
Woodstock school district		200.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 500.00
Nursing fees			109.25
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	\$		741.25

Disbursements

American National Red Cross, their portion			
roll call	\$		46.63
Flood disaster relief 1936			33.75
Highway first aid station (part)			5.70
Red Cross materials for production (part)			29.50
Civil aid			6.73
Public Health Service:			
417 nursing visits			
25 social service visits			
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442	95c.		419.90
Cod Liver Oil for school children			18.00
Tuberculosis clinic expense			10.00
Physical corrections on children:			
Throat	90.00		
Dental	21.00		
		<hr/>	\$ 111.00
Transportation of patients to and			
from hospitals and children to clinics			30.00
Office expense (part)			30.04
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	\$		714.25

OSWALD RAMAGE,
Treasurer.

Having examined the foregoing account, I find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

E. B. CONANT,
Auditor.

WOODSTOCK OLD HOME DAY

The Woodstock Old Home Day observance began at 10:30 A. M., with a band concert by Freeman's Band of Plymouth, in Soldier's Park, August 25. The afternoon meeting was held at Mirror Lake, consisting of band concert on the shore of the lake from 1:00 to 2:00 o'clock, followed by exercises in Mirror Lake Hall in charge of Raymond B. Sawyer, President of the Day, who extended the address of welcome. Col. Charles B. Hoyt, of Sandwich, President of New Hampshire Old Home Week Association, delivered the opening address, followed by Andrew L. Felker, Secretary of New Hampshire Old Home Week Association, and Commissioner of Agriculture, Charles Harlow Raymond, a summer resident of Woodstock and Wilbur J. Sanborn, of Southern Pines, N. C. Mr. Sanborn, was a Woodstock boy who left home in 1876 to go on his own, and his reminiscences of his younger days in Woodstock were exceedingly interesting. The addresses of Col. Hoyt, Mr. Felker and Mr. Raymond, brought out the Old Home Week spirit in a most interesting and forcible manner. The program was interspersed by appropriate musical selections and closed by singing "America" accompanied by the band. A lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. Mable R. Kendall, at the close of the exercises.

Financial Statement

L. C. Twombly, band leader	\$	70.00
Mable R. Kendall, lunches		20.00
Dennis Driscoll, dinners for band		7.00
Paid for printing invitation cards, telephones and postage		10.15
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	\$	107.15
Town appropriation	\$	100.00
Overdraft		7.15
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	\$	107.15
Expended by the selectmen.		

WOODSTOCK OUTING CLUB

Woodstock, N. H.

The Financial Report of the Parks and Playground Account

Receipts

Received from the town treasurer	\$	175.00
Cash on hand January 31, 1936		70.85
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	\$	255.85

Payments

Planting fish	\$	18.20
Soldier's Park		10.67
Base ball field		19.78
Band concerts (two)		35.00
Ski races (prizes) two years		72.00
Russell Mt., tower (paint)		2.70
Advertising (Tel. & Tel. on snow conditions)		2.81
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	\$	161.16

Cash in hands of Club treasurer to balance
account \$ 94.69

The bill for toboggan shute, which is \$ 76.37,
was not received in time to come in this report.

Respectfully submitted,

WOODSTOCK OUTING CLUB,

Fred S. Brown,
Secretary-Treasurer.

WOODSTOCK CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Town Advertising Account

Paid

Boston Garden Corp., space at Winter Sports Show	\$	100.00
H. W. Mellett, expenses at show		28.77
Evans Printing Co., 10,000 winter folders		48.00
W. R. Lane, labor on sign		10.80
	\$	187.57

Total Account

Received from selectmen	\$	300.00
Total paid	\$	187.57
Balance cash on hand		112.43
	\$	300.00

E. H. STEVENS,
Secretary-Treasurer.

PARKS AND PLAYGROUND ACCOUNT

To the Selectmen of the Town of Woodstock:

We hereby submit our annual report on the Parks and Playground account.

The Woodstock Outing Club undertook one major project during the past year. This is the toboggan shute, which is now in use. The shute is located on land in North Woodstock, known as the Fey Reservation. We worked with the State Forestry Department on this and they cooperated with us to the extent of furnishing all labor necessary to erect the shute. The Club furnished all material for the shute which cost us \$ 76.37. This bill came in too late to be included in this years financial report.

The lighting of the shute, which has just been completed, was accomplished by the help of the Pemi-

gewasset Electric Co., who furnished all material and labor necessary for the installation except, bulbs, a small quantity of lumber including posts, and the labor necessary for digging the post holes. Although we have received no bill for these items we expect that \$ 15.00 will cover the cost.

Upon requests to the State and United States Government hatcheries the Club arranged for the planting of thousands of fish in the various streams and ponds within the bounds of the Township. The Club had no expense except the cost of dumping the fish into the streams and ponds.

The Club had the grass mowed on Soldiers Park and some of the underbrush cleaned away besides doing a small amount of grading in one corner.

The mowing of the Ski Trails was done by the United States Forest Service with no expense to the Club. The Forest Service also built over the Fire-place at the shelter on Russell Mt., and did quite a little work on the trails such as levelling and widening.

At the present time we are working with the Forest Service on the clearing of the Atwood pasture so that it may be used for Open Slope Skiing. We expect this to be completed for next season.

Respectfully submitted,

WOODSTOCK OUTING CLUB,

Robert A. Russell, Chairman,
Parks and Playground Committee.

WOODSTOCK MUNICIPAL COURT

Debits

Received from all sources	\$	834.31
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Credits

Paid Fish and Game Commission	\$	129.10
Paid Motor Vehicle Department		371.40
Paid officers' fees, mittimus, and misc.		132.29
Paid town treasurer		201.52
	\$	834.31

NOTE: \$ 135.00 in fines were paid in after town accounts were closed.

Whole number of cases		31
Theft	3	
Assault	3	
Fish and game	5	
Drunks	6	
Motor vehicle	14	
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There seems no lessening of offenses against Motor Vehicle laws. Of the fourteen offenses in this classification, three were for leaving the scene of an accident without compliance with the law; two were for operating without a license, two for reckless speeding; one for reckless operating; and six for operating while under the influence of intoxicants. Of the last offense, one was acquitted, as there was positive evidence of his innocence.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES C. MUCHMORE,

Justice.

WOODSTOCK FIRE DEPARTMENT

At the annual March town meeting in 1936, it was voted to organize a Fire Department. Subsequently, the selectmen called a meeting, at the selectmen's office in North Woodstock, for that purpose with Raymond B. Sawyer, selectman, acting as chairman of the meeting.

The following organization was set up.

Chief, F. M. Nichols, North Woodstock
First Assistant, Roy Nichols, North Woodstock
Second Assistant, N. B. Fadden, North Woodstock
Clerk, F. S. Brown, Woodstock

Members

H. W. Mellett, North Woodstock
Clarence Burrows, North Woodstock
Ralph Titus, North Woodstock
Pat Lynch, North Woodstock
Robert Nichols, North Woodstock
Milton Shepard, North Woodstock
Glenn Hart, North Woodstock
Robert Mellett, North Woodstock
Elward St. Marie, North Woodstock
George Calley, North Woodstock
George Walden, North Woodstock
Clifford Amos, Woodstock
F. S. Brown, Woodstock
Raymond Sawyer, Woodstock

Marriages Registered in the Town of Woodstock, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1936

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation of Parents	Times Married	Name residence and official station of person by whom married
Jan 1	Woodstock	Americo Tavano Anna M McIntyre	Woodstock Lincoln	22 W 23 W	W Sign At home	Painter At home	Providence RI Woodstock	Joseph Tavano Josephine Coutrie	Italy Kentucky	Housewife R R	1 1	Jas C Muchmore Justice of Peace North Woodstock
Jan 6	Woodstock	John E Kimball Helen M Georgia	Thornton Woodstock	22 W 17 W	W Paper Mill At home	Mill At home	Thornton Woodstock	Myra McManis John E Kimball Martha A Wilson Charles O Georgia	Ireland Maiden Mass Nova Scotia Condersport Pa	Mechanic Housewife Paper Mill Housewife	1 1	Jas C Muchmore Justice of Peace North Woodstock
Jan 24	Woodstock	William A O'Hair Shirley E Dunlop	Woodstock Lincoln	21 W 24 W	W Laborer At home	Laborer At home	North Troy Vt Lincoln	Anna M Campbell Robert J O'Hair Celia Woods Frederick Dunlop	Woodstock Derby Vt New Brunswick	Housewife Housewife Housewife	1 1	Jas C Muchmore Justice of Peace North Woodstock
Mar 3	Plymouth	Edward C Cloud Gertrude G Bellerose	Woodstock Woodstock	22 W 18 W	W Laborer At home	Laborer At home	Haverhill Lincoln	Lyman E Cloud Clara M Paschal Ben Bellerose	Concord Brunswick Vt Canada	Housewife Farmer Housewife	1 1	John C Prince Clergyman Plymouth
June 14	Woodstock	Robert L C Tinkham Dorothy E Kimball	Plymouth Woodstock	25 W 21 W	W Photographer Teacher	Photographer Teacher	Manchester East Somerville Mass	Arthur E Tinkham Bertha E Colon Wm F Kimball Betsey Nelson	Manchester Newton Mass Medford Mass	Housewife Landscaper Housewife Merchant	1 1	Carl Sullenberger Clergyman Lincoln
June 29	Littleton	Joseph S Smith Harriet L Bergh	Woodstock Woodstock	60 W 48 W	W Laborer Housewife	Laborer Housewife	Long Island NY Webster Mass	Fred Smith Elizabeth Benoit Joseph Martin Julia Vauslett	Montreal Can Vermont Vermont	Housework Engineer Housewife	3 W 3	Thos A Goodwin Minister Littleton
July 12	Woodstock	James O Hewett Velma Bailey	Yarmouth Me Freeport Me	20 W 20 W	W Truck Driver At home	Truck Driver At home	Yarmouth Me Freeport Me	George A Hewett Louis S Bailey Lelia M Martin	Yarmouth Me Freeport Me Freeport Me	Housewife R R Fireman Housewife	1 1	Jas C Muchmore Justice of Peace North Woodstock

MARRIAGES—Continued.

July 26	Woodstock	Corn'tus O Thorburn	Somerville Mas.	28 W	Chef	East Jordan	NS	O Thorburn	Nova Scotia	Housewife	1 Jas C Muchmore Justice of Peace North Woodstock
		Margaret G Stearns	Roxbury Mass	22 W	Maid	Boston Mass		Priscilla Thomas Stearns	Nova Scotia	Housewife	1 Jas C Muchmore Justice of Peace North Woodstock
Aug 1	Woodstock	Donald B Smith	Plymouth	28 W	Laborer	Woodstock		Auriel O'Neil Harry W Smith Ethel Morrill	Boston Mass Woodstock Laconia	Laborer Housewife Farmer	1 Jas C Muchmore Justice of Peace North Woodstock
Aug 5	Woodstock	Elois R Bryant	Ashland	23 W	Housework	Ashland		Fred L Bryant Maude Moore	Mercedith Ashland	Housewife	2 Jas C Muchmore Justice of Peace North Woodstock
		Charles J Fell	New York	64 W	Mech Engineer	New York	N Y	Jacob Fell	Syracuse N Y	Mfg Jeweler	1 Jas C Muchmore Justice of Peace North Woodstock
		Minnie M Sandler	Brooklyn N Y	42 W	At home	Gloversville N Y		Max Sandler	Syracuse N Y	Real Estate	1 North Woodstock
Aug 11	Lincoln	Stanley L Drew	Woodstock	21 W	Chaufeur	Bow		Henry L Drew	Warsaw Poland	Housewife	1 Jas C Muchmore Justice of Peace North Woodstock
		Adeline Dunlop	Woodstock	20 W	Housework	Lincoln		Ella M Palmer	Bow	Laborer	1 North Woodstock
Aug 13	Woodstock	W Stanley Thurber	Woodstock	19 W	Clerk	Hanover		Frederick Dunlop Loretta E Pollard	New Brunswick Lincoln	Laborer	1 North Woodstock
		Ruth Madel'e Benoit	Woodstock	20 W	Waitress	Burlington Vt		Maude L Stiles	Germany	Housewife	1 Frederick Beattie Episcopal Priest Woodstock
Aug 23	Laconia	George H Bellerose	Woodstock	27 W	Chaufeur	Woodstock		Henry J Tenney Mabel J Tenney	Burlington Vt Manchester	Laborer	1 Rev Rudolph Catholic Priest Laconia
		Alice M J Paudini	Laconia	19 W	Hosiery Mill	Laconia		Ben Bellerose Evelyn Fournier	Canada St Johnsbury Vt	Housewife	1 Chas S Blakeney Minister Woodstock
Sept 1	Woodstock	Malcolm H Downing	Thornton	26 W	Mechanic	Thornton		Eva Drapeau Will F Downing	France Laconia	Housewife	1 Chas S Blakeney Minister Woodstock
		Ethel Cora Sawyer	Woodstock	24 W	Nurse	Woodstock		Elizabeth Avery	Thornton	Housewife	1 Chas S Blakeney Minister Woodstock
Sept 5	Woodstock	James W Reed	Farmington Me	31 W	Physician	Gray Me		Vincent I Sawyer Pauline A Brown	Woodstock	H W Patrolman	1 Jas C Muchmore Justice of Peace North Woodstock
		Elizabeth Buker	Farmington Me	23 W	Teacher	Rockland Me		Charles W Reed Edith Knowles	Thornton	Housewife	1 Jas C Muchmore Justice of Peace North Woodstock
								Harry Buker Leighton	Oxford Me Wilton Me Salem Mass Portland Me	Farmer Housewife Engineer Housewife	

MARRIAGES—Continued.

Sept 6	Woodstock	Charles H Osgood	Norwich Conn	21 W	Salesman	Stevensville Pa	Charles Osgood MD L M Greninger Edwin A Wigley	Norwich Conn Maltimore Md Norwich Conn	Physician Housewife Merchant Housewife	1 Chas S Blakeney Minister 1 Woodstock
Sept 9	Woodstock	Jean M Wigley Fred W Hartwell	Norwich Conn Utica N Y	19 W 51 W	Librarian Salesman	Groveland Mass New York N Y	Elsie M Shaw Warren I Hartwell Anna B Doolittle Geo W Lancaster	Chester Pa Gilbertsville N Y Stevensville Pa Beverly Mass	Housewife Jeweler Housewife Salesman	2 Jas C Muchmore D Justice of Peace 2 Woodstock
Sept 30	Woodstock	Helen M Lauder John Costa	Mohawk N Y Woodstock	36 W 22 W	Housekeeper Cook	Norwich Conn Providence R I	Nellie Huntress Mannual Costa Mary Dutra	Groveland Mass Portugal Portugal	Housewife Dock hand Housewife	D 1 Jas C Muchmore Justice of Peace 1 North Woodstock
Oct 31	Haverhill	Ina Driscoll Roy N Andrews	Plymouth Woodstock	18 W 20 W	Housekeeping Mechanic	Campton Woodstock	William Driscoll Almeda Dustin Burnett W Andrews Eliza Hutchinson	New Brunswick Farmington Mass Canaan Vt Groton Vt	Carpenter Housewife Garage Housewife	1 A T Boland Clergyman 1 Haverhill
Dec 5	Woodstock	Hazel A McKean Joseph J Goodbont Georgia M Anderson	Haverhill Lincoln Woodstock	19 W 29 W 23 W	Housework Laborer Waitress	Haverhill Canada Canada	Hattie Pike Peter Goodbont L Lambert James B Anderson Mary I Hickey	Landaff Haverhill Canada St Paul Minn Canada Canada	Farmer Housewife Laborer Housewife Farm Housewife	2 Jas C Muchmore D Justice of Peace 1 North Woodstock

Deaths Registered in the Town of Woodstock, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1936

Date—1936	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age		Place of Birth	Sex and Cond'n		Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Years	Months	Days	Male	Female		Father	Mother		
Jan 28	Woodstock	Sadie E. Burnell	32	2	16	F	W	Housewife	Fremont	Unknown	Aaron Ellis	Mary Brown
Feb 14	Woodstock	Edw. Francis Bergh	49	8	30	F	W	Coppersmith	Montreal	Unknown	Frank A. Bergh	Unknown
Mar 1	Woodstock	Mary L. Foster	77	3	20	M	W	Artist	Oswego	Ind	Melvin E. Foston	Polly C.
Apr 1	Woodstock	Jesse A. Kendall	61	9	23	M	W	Farmer	Hebron	Quebec	A. H. Kendall	Elizabeth Sawyer
May 11	Woodstock	Amede Tardif	63	0	23	M	W	Engineer	Province	Quebec	Adrian Tardif	Christine
May 16	Woodstock	Mary Annie Uhlman	26	3	26	F	W	Housewife	Bellerica	Mass	Walter Long	Mabel Sawyer
May 21	Woodstock	Alfred Ledger	20			M	W	S.C.C.C.	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown
May 27	Laconia	Mary J. Weeks	87	5	27	F	W	Housewife	Hill	Hill	John Quimby	Jane Dustin
June 6	Thornton	Harriet Bradley	84	2	26	F	W	Housewife	England	New York	George Bradshaw	Jennie Van Tassel
June 11	Haverhill	Grace Maher	50	9		F	W	Nurse	Quebec	Canada	Leo Couture	Cecile Huot
June 29	Woodstock	Marie C. N. Couture	1	6	4	F	W	Student	Unknown	Canada	Charles Gray	Jessie LaRue
July 7	Woodstock	Harold Clinton Gray	17	0	3	M	W	Student	Ireland	Canada	Dennis Driscoll	Margaret Gallivan
July 11	Woodstock	Cornelius Driscoll	69	6	21	M	W	Retired	Sutton	Ireland	Benj. L. Peaslee	Mary Sellingham
July 14	Plymouth	Alice M. Sawyer	56			F	W	Housewife	Ashburnham	Mass	Reuben Conn	Harriet Harding
Aug 27	Woodstock	Lucy M. Potter	80	1	7	F	W	Musician	Unknown	Mass	Jacob Benton	Josephine Fifield
Sept 30	Woodstock	Irving W. Benton	59	11	28	M	W	Retired	Unknown	Woodstock	John Bergin	Cordelia Milin
Nov 8	Lincoln	Henry Brown	79			M	W	Retired	Thornton	Woodstock	A. H. Kendall	Elizabeth Sawyer
Nov 18	Woodstock	John Irvin Bergin	80	11	12	M	W	Retired	Thornton	Woodstock		
Dec 25	Woodstock	Milton H. Kendall	71	11		M	W	Retired	Thornton	Woodstock		

JAMES C. MUCHMORE, Town Clerk.

School Report

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Woodstock qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Woodstock Town House in said district on the ninth day of March 1937, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years and one Member for two years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.
8. To see if the District will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the District, as determined by the School Board in its annual report.
9. To see if the district will vote to expend balance from 1936 appropriation and raise and appropriate an additional \$200.00 for music.
10. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate \$ 100.00 for School Athletics.
11. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate \$ 100.00 for rent of Athletic Field.

12. To see if the district will vote to transfer the unexpended balance of \$ 32.18 of fence appropriation for Woodstock School into the General Fund.

13. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Woodstock this twentieth day of February 1937.

MILDRED G. BASTON,
JAMES C. MUCHMORE,
IDA T. SAWYER,

School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

MILDRED G. BASTON,
JAMES C. MUCHMORE,
IDA T. SAWYER,

School Board.

REPORT OF WOODSTOCK SCHOOL BOARD

Officers and Staff

School Board

March 1936-March 1937

Mildred G. Baston, Chairman
James C. Muchmore
Henrietta K. Towers, Ida T. Sawyer

Treasurer

Grace L. Conant

Clerk

James C. Muchmore

Attendance Officer

Mrs. Clara B. Walden

Auditors

Daniel B. Baston
Sherwin J. Kendall

Superintendent of Schools

Allan M. McCurdy

Headmaster of High School

Stephen T. Crowther

TREASURER'S REPORT
For the Year Ending June 30, 1936

Receipts

From

Selectmen, money by taxation	\$ 11,600.00
Selectmen, dog tax	184.00
Selectmen, income from trust funds	70.00
Received from state treasurer	1,614.32
All other sources	1,239.50
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Total receipts during year	\$ 14,707.82
Cash on hand June 30, 1935	491.35
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Total amount available for fiscal year	\$ 15,199.17
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Payments	
School Board's orders paid	\$ 14,948.30
Balance on hand June 30, 1936	\$ 250.87

GRACE L. CONANT,

July 15, 1936.

District Treasurer.

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Woodstock, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and find them correct in all respects.

D. B. BASTON,

August 3, 1936.

Auditor.

SCHOOL BOARD'S FINANCIAL REPORT

For the Year Ending June 30, 1936

Receipts

Equalization fund from state treasurer	\$ 1,614.32
National forest reserve (2 yr. amounts)	359.86
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Total	\$ 1,974.18
From the Selectmen, raised by Taxation	
Total	\$ 11,600.00
From Sources Other Than Taxation	
Dog licenses, from selectmen (2 years)	\$ 184.00
High school tuition	520.81
Income from local trust funds (2 yrs.)	70.00
Other receipts, Ins., supplies sold, refund check	358.83
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	\$ 1,133.64
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Total receipts from all sources	\$ 14,707.82
Cash on hand July 1, 1935	491.35
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Grand total	\$ 15,199.17

Payments

Administration

Salaries of district officers	\$ 165.00
Superintendent's excess salary	335.04
Truant officers and school census	10.00
Expenses of administration	110.21

Instruction

Principals' and teachers' salaries	8,316.00
Text books	284.34
Scholars' supplies	318.22
Flags and appurtenances	4.25
Other expenses of instruction	88.15

Operation and Maintenance of School Plant

Janitor service	890.00
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Fuel	883.05
Water, light, janitor's supplies	226.81
Minor repairs and expenses	846.76
Auxiliary Agencies	
Medical inspection	200.00
Transportation of pupils	417.60
Other special activities	200.00
Fixed Charges	
Per capita tax	348.00
Insurance	207.75
Outlay for Construction and Equipment	
Alterations of old buildings	1,022.12
New equipment	75.00
Total payments for all purposes	\$ 14,948.30
Total cash on hand June 30, 1936	250.87
Grand total	\$ 15,199.17

BALANCE SHEET

Assets, June 30, 1936	
Total assets	\$ 1,279.60
Liabilities, June 30, 1936	
Amounts reserved for special purposes (fence)	\$ 150.00
Excess of assets over liabilities	1,129.60
	\$ 1,279.60

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Woodstock, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

August 3, 1936.	D. B. BASTON, SHERWIN J. KENDALL, Auditors.
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SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1937-1938

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1937.

Detailed Statement of Expenditures

* Support of Schools

	High	Elementary
Teachers' salaries	\$3,600.00	\$4,525.00
Text books	125.00	150.00
Scholars' supplies	175.00	200.00
Other expenses of instruction	60.00	50.00
Janitor service	360.00	530.00
Fuel	373.00	520.00
Water, light, janitors' supplies	50.00	120.00
Minor repairs and expenses	50.00	150.00
Health supervision (medical inspection)	50.00	150.00
Transportation of pupils		418.00
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	\$4,843.00	\$6,813.00
		\$11,656.00

Other Statutory Requirements

Salaries of district officers (fixed by district)	\$	165.00
Truant officer and school census (fixed by district)		20.00
Superintendent's excess salary (fixed by supervisory union)		317.00
Per capita tax (reported by state treasurer)		354.00
Insurance		167.25
Expense of administration		75.00
Other obligations		100.00
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		\$ 1,198.25

Total amount required to meet school board's budget	\$12,854.25
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Estimated Income of District

Balance June 30, 1937 (estimate)	\$1,800.00
State aid (Dec. 1937 allotment)	700.00
Dog tax (estimate)	75.00
Income from trust funds (estimate)	35.00
High school tuition receipts (estimate)	225.00
Elementary school tuition receipts (estimate)	37.00
Forest reserve	125.00
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Deduct total estimated income (not raised by taxation)	\$ 2,997.00
Assessment required to balance	
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school board's budget	\$ 9,857.25
Special Appropriations Proposed	Articles in Warrant
School athletics	\$100.00
Athletic Field (rent)	100.00
Music	200.00
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	\$ 400.00
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Total assessment required to cover budget and appropriations	\$10,257.25

MILDRED G. BASTON,
JAMES C. MUCHMORE,
IDA T. SAWYER,

School Board.

Woodstock, N. H., February 18, 1937.

* \$3.50 per \$1,000.00 of **taxable inventory** is minimum required by law in addition to per capita tax and salaries of district officers.

|| \$5.00 per \$1,000.00 of **equalized valuation** must be raised for **elementary schools** to qualify for state aid. The net assessment must contain this amount in addition to funds raised for high school maintenance and other statutory requirements.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

School Board and Citizens of the Woodstock School District:

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my third annual report as Superintendent of Schools. The statistical information for the year 1935-1936 appears elsewhere in this report.

During the summer Mrs. Henrietta K. Towers, resigned from the School Board and the other two members appointed Mrs. Ida T. Sawyer to serve until the next district meeting.

The teaching staff at North Woodstock is the same this year. At Woodstock, Dorothy Douglass and Beth Bolton resigned after periods of faithful and successful work.

Mary C. Cahill is at present in charge of the Woodstock Grammar room. She is doing unique work in manual training and sewing at the same time keeping the academic work up to standard. Henrietta K. Towers is teacher of the Primary room.

The scholastic work of the district is progressing very well in my opinion. The teachers are interested in the children not only as a group but as individuals as can readily be seen by the problems which they present for help in solution. A series of meetings is being held when problems are discussed and the common experience of the group is pooled. A sustained effort is being made to enlarge the reading and speaking vocabularies of the children to improve their silent and oral reading. The teachers of their own volition have organized Children's Savings Clubs, to encourage thrift. Sums up to a dollar are left with the teacher and a receipt issued. When a dollar is reached it is deposited in the savings bank.

The evaluation of accomplishment by means of marks is always difficult and never satisfactory to everyone. Educational experts and authorities con-

sider the normal percentages of marks regardless of the system to be approximately 7% A, 24% B, 38% C, 24% D and 7% E. No effort is made in this Supervisory Union to force the mark into these percentages, but it is interesting to see that in "the normal course of distribution of marks" the sum of A's and B's will aggregate 62% and A's will approximate only seven per cent.

The position of "standard" in any system is difficult to establish. If it is placed conveniently low for all to receive flattering grades legitimate complaint immediately arises that a large number of pupils are doing little or nothing and that the taxpayers' money is being dissipated. On the other hand if the "standard" is too high an atmosphere of discouragement retards motivation of learning.

The system of marking set up in this Supervisory Union is a sincere effort to give the average child an opportunity to pass regularly from grade to grade learning all that can reasonably be expected at the same time recognizing those of exceptional scholarship. The percentage of non-promotions last year in the district was 12-5 below the average of the State, so it would seem that by and large the children are doing about the same in the district as throughout the state.

I believe that if the reports of the School Nurse were followed up more carefully there would be better scholarship in many cases. The last report before me shows 53 children under nourished, 6 of defective hearing and an alarming situation of 38 children, or over 20% of defective vision. Probably all those children do not need medical attention, but it is fair to assume that a considerable number are straining their eyes to do fair work where with glasses they could do good work without detriment to their vision.

Since my last report a metal fence has been set up at the Woodstock school.

During the present year the Board expects to put in electric gongs at North Woodstock and Woodstock in order to more efficiently operate fire drills and to

summon children into the building. A no-school alarm of 3 - 3 - 3 will be hereafter sounded by the siren at 8:00 o'clock to advise the general public of the closing of schools on account of bad weather.

The finances of the district are carefully and prudently handled. An accumulated balance of \$ 1,028.73 due from the town and further savings will leave an estimated district balance of \$ 1,800.00 of the district funds which makes possible a substantial reduction in the amount asked to be raised by taxation.

Respectfully submitted,

ALLAN M. McCURDY,

Superintendent of Schools.

North Woodstock, N. H., February 9, 1937.

WOODSTOCK SCHOOL DISTRICT, 1935-1936

School and Teacher	Total Enrollment	Average Membership	Percent Attendance	Superintendent's Visits	Board's Visits	Board Meetings
High School						
Stephen T. Crowther						
Headmaster						
Esther F. Jackson						
Elsie A. Furlong	51	46.81	93.63	74	7	
Grammar						
Roland C. Weeks	23	20.53	97.44	24	9	
Intermediate						
Margaret Muchmore	35	33.18	97.19	25	5	
Primary						
Ann Tankard Predoehl	38	35.82	93.91	23	9	
Center Grammar						
Dorothy Douglass	17	16.32	94.00	19	6	
Primary						
Beth Bolton	18	10.71	97.39	20	5	
Totals	182	163.58	95.17	185	41	13
Less 4 in two schools	4					
Grand Totals	178	163.58	95.17	185	41	13

Three of above from Thornton

Woodstock School District, 1935-1936

Grade	Boys	Girls	Total
12	4	2	6
11	3	5	8
10	4	8	12
9	12	13	25
8	4	3	7
7	8	5	13
6	6	9	15
5	12	3	15
4	8	10	18
3	9	6	15
2	13	5	18
1	16	10	26
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	99	79	178

Three of above from Thornton.

WOODSTOCK GRADUATES

Elementary Schools, June 1936

Beulah Crowell
 Irving Ayotte
 Wilfred Ayotte
 Parker James Cox
 Priscilla A. Cox
 Edith M. Fulton
 Richard I. Walden

RETURN OF SCHOOL CENSUS

September 1936

(A) Number of children (5-16) found by
 enumerator: Boys, 89; Girls, 70 Total 159

(B)	Number of these found not to be in school No. 5-8, 16; No. 8-14, 0; No. 14-16, 1 Total	17
(C)	Number of children accounted for in school in and out of the district	142

Graduates Woodstock High School, 1936

Henry William Fox, Harold H. Fulton, Thelma F. Lane, Sheldon E. Oakes, Ralph E. Osgood, Yvonne Tardif.

Perfect Attendance, 1935-1936

Cail Emerson, William Hart, Joyce Avery, Dorothy Bellerose, Emma Gray, Albert McAfee, Grace Massari, Barbara Ward, Harold Sawyer, Dalton Avery, Elizabeth Avery, Herbert Carter, Lewis Ennor, Edna Kinne, Joseph Massari, William Mellett, George Russell, Robert Witham, Irving Ayotte, Bernard Rogers, Mavis Rogers, Victor Benton, Richard Davis, Norma Govoni, Lillian Hale, Marcia Lynde, Raymond Stevens.

Report of Headmaster

Mr. Allan M. McCurdy, Superintendent of Schools,
Wentworth, New Hampshire.

Dear Superintendent McCurdy:

I hereby submit my seventh annual report of Woodstock High School.

School began on September 9th, 1936, with an enrollment of 42 pupils. At present there are 40, since three members have left school, and one new member has been added. Arranged according to classes the distribution is as follows: eight seniors, nine Juniors, seventeen sophomores, and six freshmen.

This year we have been able to add a daily activity period to our regular curriculum. The time is used

for review work in the fundamentals, such as spelling, and for the study of extra short non-unit courses. A course in the principles of auto driving has been given. At the present time the period is being used for educational guidance work.

The extra-curricula activities include the following: the school paper, "The Profile"; the senior play; the Woodstock Inter-scholastic Carnival; debating; school chorus; school orchestra; and baseball; which was played in the Pemigewasset League.

I am pleased that new desk tops are to replace the older ones in the main room, and that new text books are taking the place of those now out of date.

I am including a statement showing how the money appropriated for the Woodstock High School athletics has been used during the past two years. I greatly appreciate this aid.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHEN T. CROWTHER,

Headmaster.

July 1, 1935, received	\$	100.00
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Paid

Nine complete baseball suits (Ed Maynard)	\$	64.35
Baseball equipment, bats, balls, etc (Ed Maynard)		34.96

	\$	99.31
Balance		.69

	\$	100.00
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July 1, 1936, received	\$	100.00
Balance of 1935 appropriation		.69

	\$	100.69
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Paid

Baseball equipment (Draper-Maynard)	\$	40.40
Umpires		10.00
Dry cleaning of nine ball suits		4.50
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	\$	54.90
Balance to use by July 1, 1937		45.78
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	\$	100.69

REPORT OF RED CROSS PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Woodstock, N. H., 1936-1937

School Report

The routine work of the nurse consists of a general examination, weighing and measuring of each pupil in the school, with follow up visits in the home to have as many of the defects corrected as possible.

Visits to the Schools:

Woodstock	16
North Woodstock	26

The list of defects found are as follows:

	Wood- stock	N. W. Gram- mar	N. W. High
No. of pupils examined	30	94	39
Defective teeth	18	66	18
Enlarged tonsils	11	42	8
Defective vision	5	26	14
Nervous symptoms		2	
Cardiac defect		2	1
Anaemic		2	1
Suspicious of tuberculosis	1	3	2
Skin rash		1	
Enlarged glands	1	2	1
Defective hearing		1	2
Defective speech	1		
Pediculosis	2		
Defective breathing	2		

	Wood- stock	N. W. Gram- mar	N. W. High
No. of children with no defects	7	8	8
Corrections since last report			
Vision		1	1
Enlarged tonsils	1	4	
Vaccinated	2	1	

Dental examinations by Dr. C. H. Godfrey:

	Wood- stock	N. W. Gram- mar	N. W. High
No. of examinations	26	87	40
No. of school children with no defects	7	22	21

Parents were all notified by cards of defects found and requested to consult their family physician for advice.

ADDIE LESSARD,
Public Health Nurse.

